

Attorney Docket No. P-408 #9

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Paul D. Taylor, et al.

Art Unit No. 1636

Serial No. 09/802,446

Examiner: LOEB, Bronwen

Filing date: 03/09/2001

Confirmation No.: 7041

For: CHROMATOGRAPHIC METHOD FOR
RNA STABILIZATIONPETITION FOR THREE-MONTH
EXTENSION OF TIME
37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)Assistant Commissioner
For Patents
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of the time for filing a Response to the outstanding Office Action mailed 07/20/2002, in connection with the above-identified application. The requested extension period is from August 20, 2002 until November 20, 2002.

Please charge the required extension fee of \$460.00 to our Deposit Account No. 50-0821. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dated: 20 Nov 02
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